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Founders Day Assembly



PHILADELPHIA COLLEGE OF OSTEOPATHIC MEDICINE
JANUARY 25, 1985 11 A.M.
ROWLAND HALL



Thomas M. Rowland, Jr.
B.S., LL.D. (hon.), D.Sc. (hon.)
1924 — 1984

Rowland Hall is dedicated in honor and recognition
of 34 years of leadership and service by

Dr. Thomas M. Rowland, Jr.

President of Philadelphia College of Osteopathic
Medicine 1974—1984

Member of Administration 1950—1984

Director of Admissions 1952—1973

Member of Faculty 1960—1984

Honorary Member of PCOM's Class of 1954

He devoted his life to this college and the
osteopathic profession.

Dedicatory Plaque — Rowland Hall

PROGRAM

INTRODUCTIONS

Carol A. Fox
Director of Admissions and Student Affairs

INVOCATION AND THE PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

Charles H. Bell
Class of 1985

DEDICATION OF ROWLAND HALL

On behalf of the Faculty
Paul T. Lloyd, D.O.
Professor Emeritus

On behalf of the Students
Wendy Wallace
President, Student Council

On behalf of the Alumni
Alexander Xenakis, D.O.
President, Alumni Association

On behalf of the Board of Trustees
The Honorable J. Sydney Hoffman
Chairman, Board of Trustees

FOUNDERS DAY ASSEMBLY

INTRODUCTION OF THE
O. J. SNYDER MEMORIAL MEDAL RECIPIENT
J. Peter Tilley, D.O., President

ADDRESS
Galen S. Young, Sr., D.O.
M.Sc. (Sur.), D.Sc., F.A.C.O.S., F.A.A.O.
Class of 1935

BENEDICTION
Donald H. Thome, D.O.
Assistant Dean for Clinical Education

THE FOUNDERS DAY ASSEMBLY

The annual observance of Founders Day honors a man who "put the cause of osteopathic medicine above personal considerations." That man was Oscar John Snyder, M.S., D.O., co-founder of the college and PCOM's first president. Even after Dr. Snyder resigned the presidency in favor of a new administration, he remained with PCOM for 42 years as adviser and member of the board of trustees. He brought about the establishment of high standards of osteopathic education which was instrumental in obtaining the Commonwealth's legal recognition of the college and the osteopathic profession.

Galen S. Young, Sr., D.O., M.Sc. (sur.), F.A.A.O.,
F.A.C.O.S., D.Sc. (hon.)
Class of 1935

A distinguished and caring osteopathic surgeon, educator and administrator, Dr. Galen S. Young, Sr., has earned the respect of the osteopathic and allopathic medical communities, the gratitude of the students, interns and surgical residents he has taught, and the affection of thousands of his patients throughout the United States.

He joined PCOM's faculty after an internship at the Hospital of PCOM and an eight-year preceptorship served with D.S.B. Pennock, D.O., the college's first chairman of surgery. In his 44 years of teaching, he has chaired the department of surgery on two occasions as well as the division of general surgery. For 35 years he conducted surgical clinics at North Center and 48th Street Hospitals. He has served on nearly every committee of PCOM's hospital staff, including the elected chairmanship of the professional staff and of the executive committee.

Dr. Young has given dedicated service to the profession he loves, holding offices and past presidencies on the local, state and national societies of osteopathic medicine. He served an 18-year membership on the Board of Trustees of the American Osteopathic Association (AOA) and organized the educational foundation of that association, increasing the support of the Osteopathic Progress Fund to over \$1 million annually. In 1959-60 he served with distinction as president of the AOA during the California crisis.

His extracurricular activities include memberships in many civic advisory committees, and the Board of Trustees of Elizabethtown College, his alma mater. He is moderator of the Drexel Hill Church of the Brethren, a church he founded 27 years ago.

To PCOM he has given hard work, loyalty and enthusiasm, serving as past president of the Alumni Association, current treasurer, national chairman for the capital gift campaign and founder of the Survivor's Club for interns and residents of the hospital. Recently he was elected alumni representative to PCOM's Board of Trustees.

He is a fellow of the American Academy of Osteopathy, a fellow of the American College of Osteopathic Surgeons and received the honorary degree of Doctor of Science from Elizabethtown College.

Dr. Young is married to the former Jessie Fielding Magnin, a 1935 graduate of PCOM's School of Nursing and a 31-year member of the Auxiliary. The Youngs have three children, Galen S. Young, Jr., D.O., class of 1965, a family physician, Jeffrey, an ecology major who is president and owner of the Snow Environmental Corporation, and Sandra, a psychologist.

RECIPIENTS OF THE O. J. SNYDER MEMORIAL MEDAL

The O. J. Snyder Memorial Medal, presented in memory of the co-founder of Philadelphia College of Osteopathic Medicine, is awarded in recognition of leadership and service to the osteopathic profession and to the college.

*1953 David S. B. Pennock, M.D., D.O.

1954 Margaret H. Jones, D.O.

*1955 Chester D. Swope, D.O.

*1956 Russell C. McCaughan, D.O.

*1958 Phil R. Russell, D.O.

*1959 Ira W. Drew, D.O.

*1960 C. Paul Snyder, D.O.

*1961 James M. Eaton, D.O.

*1962 J. Ernest Leuzinger, D.O.

*1963 H. Walter Evans, D.O.

1964 Paul T. Lloyd, D.O.

*1966 Angus G. Cathie, D.O.

*1967 Carlton Street, D.O.

1968 Edwin H. Cressman, D.O.

*1969 Edgar O. Holden, D.O.

*1970 Frederic H. Barth, B.S., LL.D. (hon.)

*1971 Joseph F. Py, D.O.

1972 George W. Northup, D.O.

*1973 William F. Daiber, D.O.

1974 Herman Kohn, D.O.

1975 William S. Spaeth, D.O.

1976 Mortimer J. Sullivan, D.O.

1977 A. Aline Swift, D.O.

1978 Foster C. True, D.O.

1979 Frank E. Gruber, D.O.

1980 Leo C. Wagner, D.O.

1981 R. MacFarlane Tilley, D.O.

1982 M. Carman Pettapiece, D.O.

1983 George H. Guest, D.O.

*1984 Thomas M. Rowland, Jr., B.S., LL.D. (hon.), D.Sc. (hon.)

1985 Galen S. Young, D.O.

*Deceased

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